Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 17 Feb 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 18 Feb 2021

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 17 Feb 2021 at 04:56

Confidence: High for changeable, and at times wet and windy conditions. Medium for cloud amounts.

Headline for Wednesday 17 Feb 2021: Rain early and later in the day, with some sunny spells in between. Windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 17 Feb 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales High Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** High Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
50%	10%	10%	60%	80%	70%

Forecast for Wednesday 17 Feb 2021

Weather: Rain clearing first thing, becoming dry and bright with some sunny spells. Rain will turn heavy and persistent at through the course of the afternoon and into the evening. Windy with a significant wind chill.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 80% during daylight hours. 20% first thing and later in the day.

Visibility: Initially poor in rain with cloud down to 400m but soon clearing, becoming very good through the morning. Becoming moderate or poor in rain with extensive cloud down to 300m this afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	28/36 SW	22/28 SW	22/29 SW	22/28 S	34/44 S	35/46 S	37/49 S
300	14/31 SW	12/25 SW	12/25 SW	13/26 S	18/38 S	20/42 S	23/46 S
Valley	11/28 SW	10/23 SW	11/23 SW	10/24 S	14/35 S	17/40 S	19/43 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	5/-2	4/-2	5/-1	5/0	6/0	6/0	5/-1
300	7/3	6/3	8/5	8/5	8/4	8/4	8/3
Valley	7/4	7/4	9/6	9/6	9/5	9/5	8/4
Freezing Level*	1200m	1000m	1100m	1300m	1700m	1700m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Strong winds throughout with gales likely later, especially over peaks, coupled with the heavy rain and low cloud could make for disorienting conditions.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Wed 17 Feb 2021	11.6mm	17.8mm	38mm

Forecast for Thursday 18 Feb 2021

Weather: Cloudy with outbreaks of rain overnight and during the morning, Turning more showery in the afternoon and evening with some brighter spells. The showers wintry over the summits. Windy with a significant wind chill.

Maximum wind: South or southwest 30 to 35mph gusting around 50mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 50%, occasional or extensive cloud around the summits.

Visibility: Moderate or poor in rain or showers, otherwise very good.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 4 to 8 Celsius
At 600m: Plus 4 Celsius falling Plus 1 Celsius by dusk
Freezing level: Above the summits lowering to around 800m by dusk.

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